FROM A MAIL TRANSFER WAGON.

How a Registered Bag Was Stolen By Bold Thieves-Their Work Interrapted, However-A Robbery Apparently Easy to Accomplish.

New York, May 17.—A bag of registered mail was lost or stolen from one of the big transfer wagons in Fifth avenue near Thirty-fifth street, Friday night. The contents were valued at \$30,000, The postoffice authorities are not fully satisfied that the bag was stolen from the wagon. The superintendent of the mails, who investigated the loss and finding of the bag, made the following report to the postmaster yesterday af-

remoon.

Policeman Brady, of the Nineteenth precinct police, was on duty in Fifth avenue about 8:30 o'clock hast night. Near the corner of Thirty-fifth street he saw a mail-bag lying in the sirect near the curb. It was one of the large bags used for registered matter and weighed with contents, 225 pounds. He kicked it and then stooped down and lifted it on end. He was examining it when a man came, from he don't know where, and told him he had seen a man lift the bag from the tail end of a mail wagon. The man carried the bag from the wag gon to the curb, and then dropped it and tan toward Madison avenue. He also told the policeman that that there was a cab following the mail wagon, but he could not connect the man who took the bag with the cab. That was all he knew about it.

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It is not at all likely that the man who stole the bag from the wagon will ever be eaught. The police have no description of him, and there is no way of tracing him. Assistant Postmaster Gaylord, one of the men who is not certain that the story told to the policeman is true, said to-day he thought it possible that when the wagon struck the grade at Thirty-fifth street the tail end being lower thin the front end, the bag rolled against the door with farce enough to open the spring lock and then rolled out on the street.

PROBABLY A WELL LAID PLOT.

This could hardly be. The lock in the door would almost certainly break before it would spring. It was not broken when it was examined at the Forty-second street station, and it was surely locked when the wagon left the postoffice. It seems probable that there was a plot to rob the wagon by men who knew that it contained the bag of registered letters. There were probably two persons, and there may be more interested in it, perhaps some of them in the cab. The man who pulled the bag out of the wagon probably had a key to the lock on the door. If the bag had dropped out of the wagon accidentally the driver of the cab would surely have called to the driver of the wagon informing him of the loss.

Very likely the thieves intended to lift the bag into the cab and get off with it, but they were not quick enough about it and were frightened off. Possibly they we we Policeman Brady coming.

350 Dwellings in Ashes.

Muskegon, May 17.—This city suffered a visitation from the flames yesterday afternoon. Fire started at 6:30 o'clock in the Launkowell Hotel barns from some unknown cause, and, aided by a some unknown cause, and, aided by a strong wind, swept with lightning-like rapidity ten blocks up Pine street, one of the chief thoroughfures of the city. Then by a sadden shift in the wind the flames were driven toward Terrace avenue, one of the finest residence streets in town, where they swept anchecked, and burned with unbated fury near Evergreen svenue, in the southern edge of the city. Twenty-two blocks are devastated, as if swept by a hurricane of axe. Pine street business houses for ten entirely wiped out.

The \$100,000 court house was gutted, but its public documents were saved.

where the fire started, is missing. The loss cannot be accurately stated at this hour, but will probably reach \$500,000. Twenty blocks of business houses and dwellings are in smouldering ruins. The total number of dwellings burned may be safely put at 350.

MORE FOREST FIRES In the Pennsylvania Oil Fields-Due to

On Cirr, Pa., May 17 .- Forest fires are again raging in the Speechley gas district. A special from Dale states that the whole vicinity is ablaze. Forces of men employed by the gas and oil companies are now fighting the fires, but as most of the wells have been protected by clearing and back firing no serious damage is feared. The fire is believed to be due to incendiarism, and if the guilty parties are caught they will be severely dealt with.

COLLECTOR WHITE'S ARREST. The Centempt Case Set for Wednesday-An Interesting Question.

lat Dispatch to the Intelli-CHARLESTON, W. VA., May 17 .- There was very considerable interest centered in Saturday morning's session of the United States Court, when it became

He did not inquire the man's name or where he lived, and he did not detain him. The policeman took the bag to the police station in a wagon. The bag was not missed by the driver of the wagon until he reached his destination, the Forty-second street depot. Then the back door of the wagon was found to be unlocked. They were locked by the driver in the presence of witnesses before the wagon left the postoffice.

Policeman Brady said the Superintendent had told him that the bag's contents were worth \$30,000. The man who said he had seen the bag stolen told him—the cab was within a very lew feet of the mail wagon, but he did not know whether the thiof got out of the cab or not.

It is not at all likely that the man who There has been some friction between

in cour, but to retire to his vault, inspect tie papers and return to the court room and testify. This broke up the district attorney and the court, and smith ras fined \$50 and committed to the curody of the marshal until the fine wa paid.

Meatwhle correspondence was going on between the departments at Washington and the Collector, as well as with the Disrict Attorney. Collector White claims to have misunderstood his instructions. Judge Jackson is determined that th Department of Justice shall not be hintered and put at a disadvantage in prosetting these moonshiners by the withhoding of the very evidence that often brequisite to make out the Governmen's case.

Colletar White asked for further time to his hearing to answer the at-

Panernsitung, W. Va., May 27.—The emains of ex-Policeman Jacob Selig, an old soldier, who died last evening, were taken to Baltimore this evening for burial. The funeral was taken charge of by the Jewish people here.

will be a Great Day.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligences.

GRAPTON, W. VA., May 17.—The indications are that the coming 30th of May will witness the greatest memorial demonstration ever seen here, especially in the military display.

New Bank Officers.

Special Dispatch to Mr. Intelligencer.

FATINGST, W. VA., May 17.—The Peoples bank of Fairmont, recently chartered, has organized by the election of W. S. Haymond, President, and John Crane, eachier.

EUROPEAN GOSSIP.

True Story of the Attack on the Russian Czarewitch.

A NEW YOLCANO IS DISCOVERED.

A French War Article-Our Reciprocity Treaty with Spain Sets Europe by the Ears-Stanley Insulted in London-Movements of Irish Lead-

[Copyright by the New York Associated Press.] Paris, May 17.—The French embassy at Toei has telegraphed the official details of the attack on the Czarewitch. From these it appears that the Czarewitch's assailant was a policeman named Thunda, who had been eight years in Thunda, who had been eight the service. The Czarewitch and his the service. The Czarewitch and his the Track—The Hath Safe. suite were leaving Otsu in a jinerickshaw, having just visited a Buddhist temple. Both the Czare-witch and Prince George went to witch and Prince George went to
the shrines with their boots on,
and when the Prince were entering the
jinerickshaw Thunda, who was standing guard, dealt the Czarewitch ablow
with his sword. Prince George's return
blow with his stick threw Thunda several feet. The policeman rose and made
another rush at the Czarewitch. A
Japanese closed the front door of the
carriage and other Japanese wrested tho
sword from Thunda and cut him, inflicting a severe wound. The Czarewitch's injury has already healed.

A NEW YOLCANO. A NEW YOLCANO.

The Dix-Viumve Siecle states that advices have been received at Marseilles from Trebisonde to the effect that a new y from Trebigonde to the effect that a new volcano has appeared in Armenia at the summit of Mount Nimrod, in the district of Van, vomiting forth flames and laya. The villages at the base of the mountain have been destroyed, and many persons are said to have been killed or injured. The fugitives are coming outside the range of destruction. They are almost entirely destitute and the greatest misery prevails among them. Although the Chamber of Deputies has debated the tariff for a fortnight the measure practically has not advanced a step. advanced a step.

SNOW STORMS IN FRANCE. Snow sterms prevailed to-day at Bel-

fort and Nancy. The mountains of

Alsace are covered with snow.

The Republique Française has a warlike article on England and Egypt. It
contends that the French Government
ought to resent the English preparations to destroy what is left of French
influence in Egypt, and says that the
Chamber of Deputies and the country
are willing to grant whatever may be are willing to grant whatever may be necessary to vindicate the rights of

France.
Amelie Rives (Mrs. Chandler) has returned from the south in better health.
She says the title of her new novel as given by the papers is inaccurate.

London, May 17.—Another large con-tingent of destitute Russian Hebrews fingent of destitute Russian Hebrews has arrived here from Hamburg. The arrivals of Russian Hebrews here are in-creasing in number and importance. Each of the steamers of one line plying regularly three times a week between here and Hamburg, is bringing a full complement of Russian Hebrews as pas-

The Hebrews are also arriving here in large numbers by other lines. With the exception of a few who are going to the United States, all these new arri-vals expect to settle in London or Man-

The Carewitch to Blame

Sr. Peressures, May 17.—The reti-cence observed by the officials in regard The SIDO,DOO court house was gutted, but its public documents were sayed.

Prisoners in the county jall, which occupied the basement of the court house, were liberated. Several cows and horses were burned, and a little child who was sleeping in the Launkowell Hotel barns, at the different makes to be had sleeping in the Launkowell Hotel barns, at LAST APPEARANCE OF

SCHMULBACH BREWING CO. *FAMOUS*

BOCKBBERI ON DRAUGHT MAY 18

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THE CHARLESTON AT ACAPULCO.

CITY OF MEXICO, May 18 .- The American warship Charleston and the Chilian man-of-war Esmeralda are lying at anchor near the entrance to the harbor of Acapulco. The Chilian captain says his vessel has not called at any American port. Consequently he says it is not possible that the United States authorities will interfere with the movements of either himself or his vessel. An officer of the Esmeralda, in reply to a question put to him in the telegraph office at Acapulco as to the probability of an old-fashioned sea fight between the Charleston and the Esmeralda, said in a jocular and rather ambiguous way: "Oh! the Itata is already out of danger. She has plenty of coal and provisions to carry her to her destination."

This remark has given rise to the report that the Itata coaled at sea and proceeded to her destination while the Uhilian warship steamed for Acapulco to throw the United States authorities off the track. vessel has not called at any American

A FIGHT EXPECTED. The Esmeralda Makes Threats-Firmness

of the Charleston's Commander

San Francisco, May 17.—The Chronicle has received a dispatch from Acapulco

from a naval officer on board the Charleston. The dispatch is dated Saturday and says in part: "The Charleston arrived here early this morning, ton arrived here early this morning, passing closely to the Esmeralda as she entered the harbor, the Charleston anchoring and clearing the ship for action to be ready for emergencies. A formal interview took place between Captain Remy, of the Charleston, and the captain of the Esmeralda, the latter stating that the Charleston should never take the Itata until the Esmeralda was sunk. Captain Remy replied, I have orders to take the Itata. The fact that the Esmeralda is present will make no difference whatever. In Acapuico a fight is expected if the Itata appears."

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PUBLIC SALES. 30 PLEASANT VALLEY LOTS, Porter Farm and Coal,

PUBLIC SALE Robert Anderson, Administrator, In Chancery,

William Porter's heirs and others. In pursuance of a decree made on the 15th day of April, 1891, by the Circuit Court for Ohio coun-ty in the above entitled cause, the undersigned appointed special commissioner for the purpose will on SATURDAY, MAY 23, 1891,

commencing at 9:30 o'clock a. m., on the premises, soil at puble, sails to the highest bidder, the William Porter tarm, located on the National road, about three miles east of Wheeling, comprising 100 arres and four perches.

The property has been sub-divided into parcels consisting of \$1 acres and \$7 perches of hill land and \$3 fine building lots, some fronting on the National road, and all large and finely located, being from ball an aero to nearly as acre in area. These parcels will be sold separately. For their boundaries, relectnee is made to the papers in the above entitled cames, and expendity to the plant bown of the control of the papers in the above entitled cames, and expendity to the plant bove mentioned as record in the office of the Clock of the Court of the saint, and it would be the plant bove mentioned as record in the office of the Clock of the Court of the saint, and it would be sold separately or with the surface as may be found most advantageous.

Takes of Sails—One-third of the purchase money and such introl wans in the purchaser may elect in hand, the balance in equal installments at one and two years from the day of sele, the purchaser giving bond for the deferred installments, with approved security, said bonds to bear interest from take, and the title to be related until the purchase momey as paid in full and a conveyance directed by the court.

Ver P. HUBBARD, Special Commissioner.

I hereby certify that bond and security has been given as a security that bond.

I hereby certify that bond and security has been given as required by law, by W. P. Hub-bard, the special commissioner in the above en-titled cause.

Clerk Circuit Court Ohio County.

APRIL 2, 1891.

COMMISSIONERS' SALE.

LAND SALE!

Special Commissioner's Sale of Land on the West Virginia Central Rall-way. A Valuable Property. Sale to be Made at Davis, Tucker Coun-ty, W. Va., on May 27, 1891.

David Gilchrist, et al., Plaintiffs, vs.
Chas. Beswick, et al., Defendants.

Circuit Court Clerk's office of Tucker County. wit.

O. W. Minear, clark of the said court, do cer-Given under my hand this the 15th day of April, 1891,022

C. W. MINEAR, Clerk. LEGAL NOTICES.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE. In the Circuit Court of Ohlo County, West Virginia. In chancery, Y. M. Dunlan, administrator of the estate of Junius A. Curtis, deceased, complainant,

Sarah Guetis, Joseph S. Carris, Elmor Curtis, Henry V. Curti, John S. Weity, W. J. W. Cowden, transes, William C. Handlau, Lonis S. Steenrod, Sherin of Ohlo Cannty, Joseph C. Curtis, John N. Caldwell, L. H. Dixob, Annes Alexander and Jacob L. Greer, Alexander and Laing and William Cruickshouk, Palestander and Janes John W. Betts, John Flating and Milliam Cruicks in trade index the style and firm of Betts, Flading & Co., defendants.

nd in one county, were the process of the secretary of the place at which lie will proceed to ascertain and respect the several matters in the said order of reference required.

Given under my head this 2d day of May, 180.

GEORGE R. E. GILATRIST.

Commissioner. W. M. DUNLAP, Solieitor for Complainant, myl-N

VOTICE TO CREDITORS. To the Cheditors of Junius A. Curtis, deceasing in pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of the county of Ohlo, made in a cause therein bending, to subject the real estate of the said bunius A. Curtis, to the payment of his debts, you are required to present your claims maintine estate of the said Junius A. Curtis, for adjudication, to George R. F. Gilenter, contambionier, at his office in the said county, No. 1401 Chapter of the Said County, W. Va., on or before the trade of Junius A. Curtis, for adjudication, to Wheeling, W. Va., on or before the Witnesse; John W. Mitchell, Clerk of the said count, this 2d day of May, 1891.

INVESTIGATION OF THE SAID COUNTY OF TH

PROPOSALS. NOTICE

Contractors and Builders

The Building Committee appointed by the Board of Resents of the West Virginia school for the Board of Resents of the West Virginia school for the Board and the Blind, desired in Liouwi, Hampshire county, conference of C. H. Hill. Rounder, A. L. Pugh, Capon Bridges, Hampshire county, and John T. Poore, Burlington, Miscoral ecology, which was a large threat of the County and John T. Poore, Burlington, and Sturdag moral, May 23, 1891, to 2 originate property of the ecology of the County of